



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Twenty-sixth Amendment to the United States Constitution, "The right of citizens of the United States, who are eighteen years of age or older, to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of age;" and

WHEREAS, Nevadans may register to vote before they reach their eighteenth birthday, if their eighteenth birthday occurs by or before the November 6, 2012 election day; and

WHEREAS, the first step in exercising your right to vote is the voter registration process as defined by your state of residency; and

WHEREAS, the Clark County School District will observe National Voter Registration Month consistent with CCSD Policy by welcoming interested groups to set up tables on CCSD High School campuses, September 24-28, 2012, to distribute voter registration forms in an impartial forum; and

WHEREAS, the guiding principles in the CCSD High School Voter Registration Week include encouraging students to participate in democracy; providing impartial, consistent, and equal opportunity; and fostering positive relationships between constituents and elected officials; and

WHEREAS, studies have demonstrated that once someone participates in the voting process, they have a high likelihood of continuing to be an active voter for life; and

WHEREAS, Nevada's Governor Brian Sandoval and Secretary of State Ross Miller are working together in that spirit of impartial participation to encourage all those who will be eighteen years of age by November 6, 2012 to register to vote;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim September 24 - 28, 2012 as

HIGH SCHOOL VOTER REGISTRATION WEEK IN NEVADA



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 11th day of September, 2012.

Brian Sandoval
By the Governor: Governor

Ross Miller
Secretary of State

By _____
Deputy